

Development Aids Available To Communities

Steps have been taken under a directive from President Johnson to assure that rural communities in Yancey County have access to all existing services in their development efforts, Chairman W. Ralph Sechler of the county's Technical Action Panel said today.

Mr. Sechler, who also is County Supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration, said the system will be operated through the Technical Action Panel. The county TAP will serve as a central, "one stop" source of information on programs available to rural communities that might help them solve economic problems and develop community facilities.

The system has been ordered to carry out a Presidential order that Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman "put the facilities of the Department of Agriculture field offices at the disposal of all Federal agencies to assist them in making their programs effective in rural areas."

Mr. Sechler said it will advance the Agriculture Department's "outreach" program, designed to insure that rural community needs are not overlooked, and that rural people know of programs available to them both through the Department of Agriculture and other agencies.

The Yancey County Technical Action Panel included local officials of Department of Agriculture agencies (Farmers Home

Administration, Soil Conservation Service, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Forest Service) as well as the Extension and Vocational Agriculture services.

Local organizations concerned with community advancement will be able to determine through the county TAP whether a federal, state, local or private agency can help with a project that cannot be carried out solely with local resources.

Mr. Sechler said county offices of any of the agencies represented on the Technical Action Panel can initiate action on an inquiry. They include the Soil Conservation Service, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, U. S. Forest Service and Extension Service located in the Courthouse; and the Farmers Home Administration located in the Penland Building adjacent to the Northwestern Bank Building, all in Burnsville.

Garden Time

By: M. E. Gardner

The "Delight of Gardening" will be the theme for the 21st meeting of the American Horticultural Society in collaboration with Colonial Williamsburg in historic Williamsburg, Va.

An outstanding panel of authorities will be on hand to explore this fascinating theme during five event-filled days, April 8-14.

All the elements for a relaxed and productive conference will be present: talks, garden tours, social events, and question and answer clinics.

Tours of the mansion at Carter's Grove Plantation on the James River are being planned and also a visit to delightful gardens and homes in Gloucester County.

Of special interest will be visits to Colonial Williamsburg's famous gardens. More than one hundred of them should be in springtime dress at the time of the meeting.

If interested write Mrs. Mary B. Deppe, Registrar, P. O. Box C, Williamsburg, Va., 23135. She will be glad to send you information about reservations and a full program of events.

We have always found our visits to Williamsburg to be both delightful and relaxing. Two other historic sites are nearby Jamestown and Yorktown.

The cold weather in February caused some damage to a good many ornamental plants and flowers in the Raleigh area. Fortunately, though, I have found no wood injury, such as bark splitting on azaleas and other woody ornamentals.

These plants received moderate to heavy damage to foliage: abelia, southern magnolia, cherry laurel, Formosa azaleas. The young tips of new growth on Photinia serrulata were heavily damaged. Some early blooming jonquils were killed and blossoms on camellias were wiped out except in well protected locations.

All of the Formosa type azaleas were hurt. The severest injury occurred to the top leaves. I have pruned some of the stems out but am going to wait awhile before going deeper into the plants.

I also found some leaf shedding on Ligustrum lucidum. These plants were set last summer (container stock) and were weak when planted. Some of the plants were dead but most of them will recover.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA YANCEY COUNTY

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Minnie G. Gibbs, deceased late of Yancey County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Administrator at his home at Burnsville, N. C., on or before the 16th day of September, 1967, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons owing the Estate will please make immediate payment.

This 16th day of March, 1967.
H. Grady Bailey, Administrator of the Estate of Minnie G. Gibbs, Deceased.
March 16, 23, 30, April 6

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE NORTH CAROLINA YANCEY COUNTY

Having qualified as Administratrix of the Estate of Charles Edward Deyton, deceased, late of Yancey County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Administratrix at her home at Burnsville, N. C., on or before the 16th day of September, 1967, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons owing the Estate will please make immediate payment.

This 16th day of March, 1967.
Norris R. Deyton, Administratrix of the Estate of Charles Edward Deyton, Deceased.
March 16, 23, 30, April 6

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

WHEREAS, on the 24th day of August, 1962, J. DeWitt Howell and wife, Dorothy R. Howell, executed and delivered unto W. O. McGibony, Trustee for The Federal Land Bank of Columbia, a certain Deed of Trust which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Yancey County, North Carolina, in Book 52 at page 271; and

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured as thereon provided, and the trustee has been requested by the owner and holder thereof to exercise the power of sale therein contained:

NOW, THEREFORE, under and by virtue of the authority conferred by the said deed of trust the undersigned Trustee will on the 20th day of April, 1967, at the court house door of Yancey County, North Carolina, at twelve o'clock noon offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate:

That tract or parcel of land situate about 9 miles East of Burnsville, North Carolina, in Crabtree Township, County of Yancey and State of North Carolina, said tract having such shape, metes, courses and distances as shown by map thereof made pursuant to survey by S. G. Hall, Surveyor, April 23, 1967,

bounded now or formerly on the North by the lands of Fred Howell and Clarence Howell; on the East by the lands of Charlie Gurley; on the South by the land of Lew's Gurley heirs, and on the West by the land of Sam Greere and described as follows:

BEGINNING on a Black Oak, corner of the Sam Greene. Fred Howell and Clarence Howell tracts, and runs thence South 78 degrees East 78 feet to a Chestnut stump; South 60 degrees 30 minutes East 1538 feet to a Cucumber; thence South 20 degrees 30 minutes West 333 feet to a Chestnut Oak; South 60 degrees West 971 feet to a stake; North 41 degrees West 1132 feet to the property of Sam Greene; South 85 degrees West 100 feet; North 81 degrees West 53 feet; North 32 degrees West 140 feet; North 21 degrees East 131 feet; North 5 degrees East 990 feet to the BEGINNING, containing 45.8 acres.

Together with right-of-way 12 feet in width: BEGINNING at the gate and leading from said beginning gate to the branch, the direction of said road being Southwest 150 yards, or about that distance, providing ingress and regress to the Arbutle Road.

This the 21st day of March, 1967.

W. O. McGibony, Trustee
Dover R. Fouts, Attorney
March 23, 30, April 6, 13



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Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. Lina Young, deceased, late of Yancey County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the Decedent to exhibit the same to the undersigned Administrator at his home at Rt. 5, Box 204, Burnsville, N. C., on or before the 23rd day of September, 1967, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons owing the Estate will please make immediate payment.

This 20th day of March, 1967.
John Robert Wilson, Administrator of the Estate of Mrs. Lina Young, Deceased.
March 23, 30, April 6, 13